TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 1.

For this section slightly warmer, fair weather.

ALEXANDRIA COUNTY .- In speaking of real estate in Aiexandria county, Va., Mr.

James E. Clements, who has bad, as a dealer, considerable to do with this class of proper, considerable to a reporter that "real estate"

of Fairfax county, died at his home, a few of Fairfax county, died at his morning. transactions have been more active in Alex-andria county the last twelve months than I andris county the last twelve months than I ever knew them to be. More sales have been made than in any previous year of the history of the county. Parties are coming here from different States of the Union and investing, and some of them are making large investments. But what seems to be improving the county most is the fact that many persons desiring to live a short distance in the county and work in Washington city are buying small tracts of from five to ten acres and are building comfortable and tasty cottages thereon. This class of buildings, without any boom, is bringing steady and substantial improvement to the county. A few years ago it was almost im-

shildings, without any boom, is bringing steady and substantial improvement to the county. A few years ago it was almost impossible for a land owner in Alexandria county to borrow any amount, however small, from the business men or capitalists of washington city on land in the county. But matters are now taking a favorable turn and there are several loan companies and business firms who are willingly loaning money on land in Alexandria county.

"The surveys for the electric railroad from Washington to Arlington have been completed, and it is confidently asserted that work upon the road will begin during the first week in September. If this road is completed to Arlington, thence on to Alexandria city and Mt. Vernon, as contemplated in the charter, with a branch road to Falls Church, it will be a complete opening up of Alexandria county, and real estate there will, in my opinion, be as desirable as it has been and is now north of Washington city. Alexandria city is now beginning to attract attention; many large, comfortable and substantial brick houses were sold there during the present year very cheap and on very easy terms. Alexandria city is as accessible to the United States departments and to the business places of Washington as many places in the north, northeast and northwest of Washington; therefore many persons locking for homes in and near Washington are disposed to give Alexandria a trial before buying or renting a home. It is a fact that more persons are now doing a business in Washington and having their homes in Alexandria than ever before. I lock for great improvement in the city and county of Alexandria during the next two years."—Washington Star.

COMMITTEE MEETING.—The democratic

COMMITTEE MEETING.—The democratic executive committee of the city met in the market building last night to name a day for holding the primary to select delegates to the Senatorial Convention which meets to the Senatorial Convention which meets in this city on the 8th of October. Capt. Mushbach and Mr. Wedderburn, the candidates for the State Senate, and Messrs. W. H. May, Jus. E. Clements and F. R. Windsor, candidates for the House of Delegates, wells present. Thursday, September 10, was sciented as the day, and it was agreed upon by the candidates that the voter should vote directly for the person of his choice, the candidate receiving the most votes to be allowed to name the delegates to represent him in the convention. No decided action was taken as to how the candidate for the House of Delegates should be selected, the was taken as to how the candidate for the House of Delegates should be selected, the matter being deferred until the democratic committee from the county can meet that of the city on Saturday. It was generally understood, however, that there would be but one primary, which probably means that the representatives to the Senate and House of Delegates will be selected on the 10th instant. 10th instant.

During the meeting Mr. Welderburn entered a protest against holding the primary at such a late date as the 10th, claiming that as the counties intended allowing the city to name the senatorial candidate the city should hold its primary this work and before the counties held their meetings. The protest was not entertained.

BARLOW BROTHERS' MINSTERIS. - A good minstrel troupe is always a desideratum, relished by all classes, and last night's performance of the Barlow Brothers was the ne plus ultra of burnt cork exhibitions, carrying the mind back to the early days of minetrelay when Mat. Peel Jos Sweeney minstrelsy, when Mat. Peel, Joe Sweeney, George Kunkle, the Christys, Bryants and others threw us into convulsive laughter. The plantation melodies and dialect of old have, of course, in a measure given way to modern thought and humor, but perform-ances like those now given by the Barlowe. while abounding in all the happy flings and wit of the day, savor much of the inimitable carricatures produced by the artists we have mentioned. The entertainment was highly satisfactory to the large audience present, the Opera House being packed to its utmost capacity. The La Belle Quartetts, Messra. Rummell, Hudson, LaBord and Starks, won and deserved the almost deafening applause of the large audience; Harry Helms, the juggier, is undoubtedly a leader in his profeesion; Thompson and Duclos, musical team, were applauded to the echo, while the antics of Ferry, the Frog Man, would create envy in the heart of any frog. The rest of the artists rendered their parts very accept-

TABLEAUX AT MANASSAS.-Quite a large audience was gathered at Bioscom's Opera House, Manssias, last night, the occasion being a series of tableaux gotten up for the benefit of St. Paul's Church, Haymarket, by some young ladies and gentlemen of that place and their Philadelphia friends. The following programme, with songs by Mrs. Schultz, of New York, was admirably rendered, perhaps the finest tableau of all being "The Three Fishers," illustrating in three plotures Kingsley's well known song, plain-tively sung by Miss Mohr: The Japanese Wedding, Taking the Veil, The Angel's Whisper, Singing School, Three Fishers, In a Pilght, Saint Cecilia, Gypsy Camp, Mary, Queen of Scotts, and Wait for the Wagon. After the performance the members of the troupe adjourned to Cannon's hotel and indulged in a dance. Altogether a delightful evening was spent.

PERSONAL .- Father O'Connelly, who, for several years, was president of Gonazaga College, Washington, has been assigned to St. Thomas' Church, in Charles county, Md., as superior, vice the late Father Dennis

O'Kane. Capt. Samuel A. Hayden, who has been in Texas for the past four years, has returned to his home in this city.

Mrs. K. U. Taylor has returned from

Asbury Park, where she spent the sum-

Miss Annie Summers and Miss Annie Schofield have returned from Maryland, where they spent their vacation.

Mr. George C. Wilde, formerly of this city, was here to-day on a short visit to his many friends. Rev. Father. McCarthy, assistant pastor of St. Mary's Catholic Churcu here, is quite ill at the pastoral residence on Duke street. pastoral residence, on Duke street.

HE GOT HIS NET BACK .- Saturday afternoon when the police boat Joe Blackburn reached a point opposite this city, but in District waters, the officers sighted a sturgeon net inside the District line and after several hours' hard work they succeeded in getting the net into the boat. Mr. George W. Windsor, the proprietor of the net, lives in this city and he plead ignorance of the law as well as of the jurisdiction, supposing that the waters south of King street were out of the jurisdiction of the District. In consideration of these facts Prosecuting Attorney Mullowney, in Washington, decided not to prosecute him when the case wa taken to the Police Court vesterday and he nolle pressed the case. The net was returned to Mr. Windsor.

DEATHS .- Mrs. Henry M. Gleason, wife of a prominent merchant of Charlottesville, died on Sunday. Mrs. Glesson was Miss Lille Phillips, daughter of Mr. Jas. Paillips, of this city, and for several years was one of the teachers of Washington school. Her death will be regretted by her many friends in this city.

miles southwest of this city, this morning. The deceased was a bricklayer by occupation, and in the early part of 1861 was a policeman in this city.

POLICE REPORT.—Last night was clear and cool with three prisoners and no lodgers at the station house. The Mayor this morning disposed of the

following cases:

Wm. Washington, colored, for disorderly conduct, was fined \$2,50.
Wm. Lucae, colored, and a white boy, for disorderly conduct, were fined \$5.50 each.

Twenty-one geese, one horse and one mule found running at large in the street, were taken up and their owners fined. Seven persons for keeping dogs without licenses were fined and recovered to take out

BIDS FOR COAL. - Contracts for furnishing coal for the city gas and electric light works were awarded to-day to Messrs. W. A. Smoot & Co. for gas coal and to Mr. J. R. Z mmerman for Cumberland coal. The bids

Eubmitted were as follows: W. A. Smoot-Tyconnel \$3.79, Waverley \$3.89, Despond \$3.79, Cumberland, George's Ureak (run of the mine) \$3.14.
J. P. Agnew—Tyconnel \$3.84,Cumberland

George's Creek \$3.15 J B. Zimmerman—Montana gas coal \$3.68, Cumberland, George's Oreek (run of the mine) \$3.07.

DISTURBING A PERFORMANCE.-Mayor Strauss had before him this morning a white youth and two negroes, occupants of the gallery at the Opera House last night, charged with disturbing the performance by yelling, whistling, &n., after being warned to desist. They were fined \$2.50 each. The white youth paid the fine, but the negroes, not baving the necessary where withall, will be mustered into Capt. Banner Young's foot tracers at this tracers. troops as thirty days' men. It has been de-termined to enforce the law hereafter against all such offenders.

U. S. CIRCUIT AND DISTRICT COURTS—
Judge R. W. Hughes presiding.—U. S. vs. S.
F. Loughborough; indicted for violating the
postal laws; demurrer to indictment and
case continued till to-morrow.

Sarah Mulloy vs. Gerome Linton and O. Pulman : dismissed. U. S. vs. Garley Gregg; indicted for violating the internal revenue law; osse in

hands of jary. Court adjourned till to morrow.

COUNTY NEWS.—Sheriff Veitch, of the county, has sent additional summonses for witnesses in the gambling cases at the south end of the Long Bridge and at other points

In the county.

A negro man, named Robert Miles, has been arrested in Georgetown for stealing harness, some of which belonged to Mr. Clements, ex-Commonwealth's attorney for the county.

SCHOOL PERMITS .- The Clerk of the City School Board to-day commenced the lesuing of permits to children to attend the public of permits to children to attend the public schools. During the day 669 school permits were issued, 335 to white boys and 334 to white girls. Last year 545 permits were issued on the day of opening. Permits will be issued to morrow to white children and on Thursday and Friday to colored children.

IMPROVING.—Lou Gaines, the colored women who was shot by her husband on south Lee street last Wednesday, and who, it was supposed, was fatally injured, is now believed to be in a fair way of recovery. Drs. Herndon, Purvis and Jamieson bave removed the bullet, which, after passing through the long, embedded itself in the back near the spinal column.

TO BE FIXED AT LAST .- Arrangements bave been perfected by which the square at the east end of the tunnel from Wilkes to Union street will be graded and placed in order at once. The contract has been awarded to Mr. John Saudds and the work will be done under the supervision of Mr. Dunn, chief engineer of the railroad company.

THE NEW FERRY STEAMER -The new ferry boat Columbia, which is to be used on the route between Washington and this city was given a dock trial of her engine at Bal The boat is nearly completed. The hull was constructed by Woodall & Co., and the machinery by the People's Work and the machinery by the People's Works.

Dog LICENSES.-The policemen are determined to carry out the law requiring the owners of dogs to take out licenses for the same and every morning numbers of persons are reported and fined for violating the law. So far over 760 licenses have been issued.

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LOCAL BREVITIES.

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Permits for building have been issued by the Auditor to Dr. Geo. T. Klips in for the erection of four two-story frame house on Patrick street, between Duke sad Wolfe, and to the Alexandria and Washington Steamboat Company for the erection of a building and shed and tower at their wharf, foot of King street.

The Mayor last night had before him a case involving the right of way over the alley on the south of Washington School Building, but reserved his decision. It appears that the alley has been closed by one of the owners of the property adjoining, and another contesting his right a little scrimmage ensued.

As will be seen by an advertisement elsewhere Prof. and Mrs. T. D. Gambrill will give musical instruction in this city. Prof. Gambrill is now the director of the Alexandria Musical Associa-The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund met

to-day and awarded the contract for whitewashing the interior of the market shed to George W. Drowns for \$80.

During the month of August the Clerk of the Corporation Court recorded 48 deeds and issued 8 marriage licenses—7 to white and 1 to colored

The Potomac Shoe Factory yesterday received an order from a large dealer in San Francisco. Alexandris-made shoes are gaining a wide repu-The Retail Grocers' Association at their meeting last night transacted no business of importance, adjourned till Wednesday night.

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At a meeting of the City Democratic Committee held at the Market Building, Monday evening, August 31, 1891, on motion of Mr. Mankin, the August 31, 1891, on motion of Mr. Mankin, the primary election to decide who shall be the choice of Alexandria for the State Senate was ordered to be held Thursday, September 10th, that the candidates for the State Senate shall be voted for personally, and the one receiving the majority of the votes of the whole city shall have the right to select the entire delegation from the city to the Senatorial convention of the 14th Senatorial district to be held in Alexandria on October 8, 1891. Polis to open at sunrise and close at sunset. Same rules and regulations to govern this primary as last.

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Legislature.

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Heartily thanking my many friends and soliciting your kindly consideration,

I remain very respectfully.

WILL W. DOUGLAS.

Ballston, Alexandria co., Va., Aug. 26, 1891.

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RESPECTFULLY announce myself a candidate for the House of Delegates, subject to the democratic primary. An accident which has confined me to my room and bed for the past four weeks has prevented my seeing many of the voters of Alexandria city and county, and as I have not yet recovered from the effects of my injuries, the same cause may deprive me of all opportunities of a personal canvass; I therefore announce my candidacy through the medium of this card. I promise, if elected, faithfully and conscientiously to represent the interest of my people.

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